

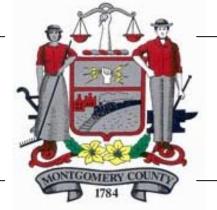
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Shelter-In-Place Evacuation Homeland Security Overview and Recommendations

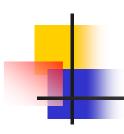




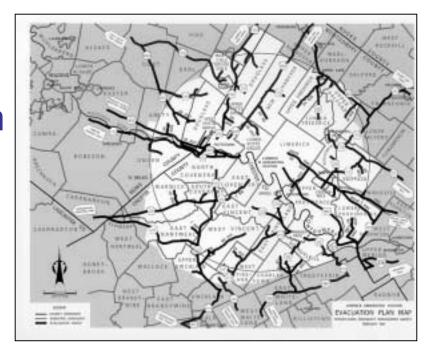




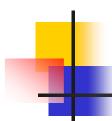




- ♣ Make a disaster supply kit
- Make a communications plan
- Know evacuation routes and
- Have a place for pets to go



Understand Shelter-In-Place Procedures



Stay Informed

For Montgomery County the Emergency Alert Station is:

KYW 1060 AM

Stay tuned for all emergency information including shelter sites, mass care facilities and all clear messages



Disaster Supply Kit Essentials

- ♣ Food & Water 3 days worth for each person
- Radio Battery Operated
- **Les Extra Batteries**
- First Aid Supplies
- Manual Can Opener
- Important Medications

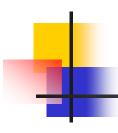
- Money or Credit Cards
- Calling Card
- Flashlight
- Extra Clothes
- Blankets
- **♣** Tools



Emergency Communications Plan

- Select an out of town contact to check in with
- Every member of your household should know and have the contact information

Have A Predetermined Meeting Place Away From Your Home



Shelter-In-Place Techniques

Sometimes you will be asked to stay put and not evacuate, You will be asked to <u>Shelter-In-Place</u>



- Have a predetermined safe room
- Cut plastic to fit doors, vents, windows, outlets, and drains
- Duct tape any cracks or gaps
- Turn off all ventilation systems
- Close the fireplace
- Bring along your Disaster Supply Kit



Shelter-In-Place Kit

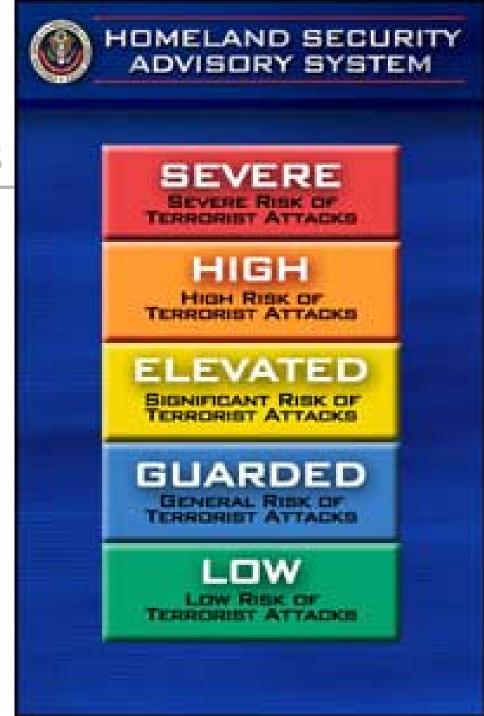
- Plastic sheeting for windows
- Duct tape & scissors
- Wet towels and rags for vents and under doors
- Drinking water in jugs
- A battery-powered radio with emergency station numbers taped on the side and extra batteries
- A working flashlight and extra batteries
- Snacks





Threat Conditions

- ♣ Five Threat Levels From Low To Severe
- Levels Reflect The
 Probability Of An
 Attack Occurring
 And Its Potential
 Outcome
- Designed To Keep The Public Informed and Increase Their Awareness





LOW

Low Risk of Terrorist Attack

Develop a personal disaster plan and disaster supply kit

Find out what you can do in your community to help out <u>Volunteer</u> – Red Cross, Ambulance, Fire Dept., Town Watch, Hospital

♣ Take a formal CPR/AED and first aid course



General Risk of Terrorist Attack



Double check disaster supplies and replace expired items

- Develop a communications plan with family/friends/neighbors
- Become familiar with Shelter-In-Place procedures



Significant Risk of Terrorist Attack

- Be alert to suspicious activity and report it to proper authorities
- Ensure that your disaster supply kit is stocked and ready
 - Make sure all contact information is current in you communications plan
 - Develop alternate travel and evacuation routes and practice them
 - Provide volunteer services and continue training



HIGH

High Risk of Terrorist Attack

- Be alert to suspicious activity and report it to proper authorities
 - Review your personal disaster plan
 - Exercise caution when traveling
- Review shelter in place procedures and have materials on hand
 - If needed donate blood
 - If needed provide your volunteer services

Severe

Severe Risk of Terrorist Attack

- ♣ Listen to radio/TV for current information/instructions
 - Be alert to suspicious activity and report it to proper authorities immediately
 - Adhere to any travel restrictions announced by governmental authorities
- ♣Be prepared to shelter-in-place or evacuate if instructed to do so by governmental authorities
 - Provide volunteer services only as requested